

FCC1641

49 Music Square West
Suite 301

Nashville, Tn. 37203

3-25-2016

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Dear FCC Proceeding number 1641

I am writing this letter to protest the removal of the RFD station from the Dish Network that we subscribe to.

My husband is a retired farmer and rancher who still has an interest in the farm and ranch markets, the rural community and activities that fill the channels of the RFD network. I also enjoy the many features that are provided through our Dish and the RFD channel. The programs are good clean entertainment .The programs are appropriate for our grandchildren and the RFD channel is a blessing to the older communities who find television fills their often lonely hours.

Please continue supporting good clean RFD television for the TV areas of our nation.

Sincerely,

Dorothy and Vernon Schoenhals

P>O> Box 441

Follett, Tx. 79034

Phone 806-653-3321

E8281 Munz Dr
Sauk City, WI 53583
March 28, 2016

To: Members of FCC

Please keep all RFD-TV channels and all other independent channels in your program network.

RFD-TV is the only TV network that serves Rural America and informs Urban Residents DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL about rural issues.

There cannot be a wall built between Rural and Urban America.

Dropping RFD-TV and other independent channels is outright discrimination.

Seventeen million different jobs are related to Rural America - so look how many people you are influencing by keeping RFD-TV in your program network.

Sincerely,

Frances M Bieseck

Million Bieseck

Buchanan, mi.
13606 Holden Rd.

Buchanan 49107

Dear Molley 164

I sure enjoy your Polka show. I'm
Czech so I really enjoy them harmonizing
Czech tuba bands from Texas.

Jerry Voelker from Green Bay, Wisc - I
don't know if he is still active. R.F.D
is really good T.V station for everybody to
watch, grand ol opry style, Farm news
and real good for our younger generations
I believe if R.F.D should be available for
everyone in the good ol U.S.A which will
make our country a better place to live -

your Friend
George Totary

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3-30-206

Dear FCC Proceeding #16-41

JEFFREY L TEACHE
PO 4133
BAKER, MT 59313
406 978 1900

I WATCH RFD ON MIDRIVERS CABLE OR
WHEREVER I AM,

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KEEP IT ON NATIONALLY!

Please

To: FCC
c/o RFD-TV
49 Music Square West
Nashville, TN 37203

March 27, 2016

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Dear FCC:
Proceeding # 16-41

We watch RFD-TV on Charter Cable (channel 162) in ashland, OR 97520. We enjoy the programming very much. It has a lot of variety from Gospel Music, Train Documentaries, Larry's Diner & specials. We support this station and its family programs. Please Do Not Remove this channel ~~for~~ from our selection. There are so few good family stations left.

Thank you very much for your consideration in this matter... AND Thank You to RFTV!!

Sincerely,
Dewayne & Deanne Price
3401 Hwy 66

Ashland OR 97520

Ph# 541-488-0236

Dewayne Price To Deanne Price

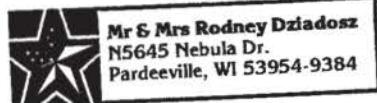
March 29, 2016

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Dear FCC,

My husband and I both watch RFD-TV on Direct TV, and enjoy many of the programs. This is in regards to proceed #16-41. Please continue to let us enjoy RFD-TV. Please don't take away our channel; these programs don't contain extreme violence, cursing, horror and smut. This is on our list of favorites. Thank you.

Sincerely,



A handwritten signature in cursive ink. The first name "Rod" is written above the last name "Mary Dziadosz". The signature is fluid and personal.

Rod & Mary Dziadosz

DEAR FCC, PROCEEDINGS #16-41

I AM GENE LEE HOPKINS OF 15741 SILVER
ROAD, OAKWOOD N.C. 28129 AND OUR PHONE
NUMBERS ARE 704-485-8436 & CELL 704-322-7220.

WE HAVE DIRECT T.V. I WOULD LIKE TO ENCOURAGE
YOU TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE MILLIONS OF RURAL
PEOPLE IN OUR NATION WITH MUCH NEEDED INFO.

ON MARKET REPORTS, FARMING EQUIPMENT SALES,
COUNTRY MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT GEARED TO
A GREAT PERCENTAGE OF OUR NATIONS POPULATION.

TO DROP THIS PROGRAMMING WOULD PROVE TO BE
A GREAT MISTAKE, ON BEHALF OF MILLIONS OF
RURAL PEOPLE THAT WOULD BE DEVISTATED BY THIS

ACT, PLEASE DON'T DISCRIMINATE AGAINST US.
HELP US TO CONTINUE TO ENJOY THE MANY BLESSINGS
THAT R.F.D. PROVIDES US WITH.

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Sincerely Yours
Gene L. Hopkins



Quality Angus Cattle
John & Eve Adams, Owners
8486 S. Hwy 43 South West City, Mo. 64863
Office 417-762-3003

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Dear FCC: Inquire 16-41

We depend on RFD-channel on Disk TD for
market reports, weather and
agriculture education programs

It is the only reason we subscribe
to Disk.

It improves rural lives thru education
programs and the economy of the United States production
of agriculture products.
Don't take it off!!

John C Adams

No. of Copies rec'd 0
List ABCDE



Dear FCC.

Proceeding Number 16-41

Please don't let dish net work to drop RFD-TV. I only watch about 5 channels on dish net work, and this is the main one I watch. Thank for considering my concern and my values.

I don't want to drop dish net work but if they drop RFD-TV I will drop dish net work.

Sincerely yours
Wayne L Reed

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Channel 23 dish net work PS this are over a thousand of reason to keep RFD-TV ON the AIR !! It's the U.S.A.

FCC proceeding # 16-41 5491 C.Rd⁸_{ME}

Kandyka, MA
06251

Please keep RFD

T.V. on TV. I am a farm employee.

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Mike Flickenger
Michael Flickenger

 3-28-16

Dear FCC 16-41

I am 91 years old. I had quit watching TV except the news or old shows until I got RFD-TV. Now I watch it almost every day.

I also watch the Weather station.

I can't see why we can't keep the stations that not only the people in the country but a lot of urban people watch too. There's too much discrimination in our country - why add it to what we watch. If those stations are taken off, I'll stop ever turning ~~OCKETFILE COPY ORIGINAL~~

Marjorie Teague
410 Manning Chapel Rd.
Del Rio, TN 37727



120-1875

16-41

Please leave RFD-TV
on TV as it is one of
my favorite TV stations.

I enjoy the programs on
RFD-TV. Some of them
are very relaxing for me.

I am 83 yrs old and
need a good station like
RFD-TV to watch.

I don't get out at night
so I watch RFD-TV a lot.
Please consider leaving
RFD-TV on TV so I can
continue watching the good
programs that I see there.

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I ask you

Gary Dunlap

Received & Inspected

APR - 5 2016

3/28/16 ECC Mailroom

To whom it may concern 1641
we just want to say how great the
RFD Channel is. Can't imagine not having
it. all the great old time country music
shows they are awesome.

all the good farm shows & news.
It is our favorite T.V. Channel.
lets keep it going.

Sincerely
Kenneth & Mary J. Stanley

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To Patrick Gottsch,

I want to see all of Superior Auctions back - Because of their variety of sales (horse, cattle, etc) and because of their adhesivity of Live Auctions - Different parts of Country + different breeds + genes! I Don't need $\frac{1}{2}$ a DAY of Market Report + the other half BY different Trainers how to Train a horse! Superior Auctions are Live + in the now - Not 1 yr. old like Mecum Auction one every Saturday!

I PAY BIG MONEY every Mo. - I was going up to Dish (and they want me to refer a friend) for same off - some off double channels which is 50% of their programming. RFD-TV Being Independent can be different from other channels if they have Live in the now programs like Superior Auctions.

I don't need my intelligence insulted by Superior Sunriser reviews + no auctions! I don't think I'm the only one who feels this WAY!

Superior Auctions are a lot more rural meaningful than most of your other programs + live not 10 years old.

Have you ever considered a gardening program?
I hope you can handle pos. crit + read this before you trash it!
Thank you for your time + my stamp
M. R.

Stotts City, MO
March 29, 2016

To: FCC 16-41

I am writing you to urge you,
Please intervene in Verizon + others
attempt to discontinue RFD and other
farm networks. 16-41

We are cattle ranchers and we depend
on RFD for valuable information on grass,
seeding and maintaining pastures. Selection
of breeds of cattle which are most
profitable etc.

We check them market trends daily, in
order to make the correct decisions on
when + where to market our products.

RFD is a great source of entertainment.
We enjoy the ~~farm machinery~~ DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL shows and
the music shows.

So I sincerely ask that you work
to keep these channels ~~on~~ on our TV

Sincerely,

Colene M. Moore
Stotts City, MO

Sirs - FCC 1044 3-25-16

I'm writing to urge
you to allow R.F.D. Channel
to Continue Broadcasting -
It's my families favorite
Channel to Watch - Most
Other Channels promote
Vulgar language + Immoral
activity as the Norm.
I don't like that - So
Hopefully you will keep
R.F.D. P.L. on the air.

Sincerely

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Michael Van Alstine

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I work at a Senior home,
This is all they talk about.
That they may have to do without
R.F.D.!

I my self have DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL watched
the station. So after talking
to the groups; I looked it
up. I can see why they are
so upset. I did find it very
enjoyable. Now I will add
my request to the seniors - Please
I've talked to the other people
who in charge of their Senior
groups around our county.
all but one said they were
hearing the same complaint
Think it over, You would
make a whole lot of seniors
happy. Thank you

Dear FCC - 3-29-2016
Proceeding #16-41,

I am writing in regards to keeping RFD-TV on the air. I watch RFD-TV on Dish network, so I will have access for a few more years. But I am hearing that Verizon is not carrying the channel. My husband and I love watching all sorts of programs on RFD-TV and we certainly would not consider changing to Verizon if they don't carry ^{DOCKED FILE COPY ORIGINAL} the channel.

Thank you!

Susan L. Hanson
Susan L. Hanson

271 Amanillo Rd
Fort Angeles, WA 98362
360-509-1264

To Patrick Gotsch,

My husband - Steven Funduric and I enjoy
watching RFD-TV.

Please help to keep this program on T.V.

I'm having my sister write this for me.

Sincerely,

Rose Funduric

To Patrick Gotsch,

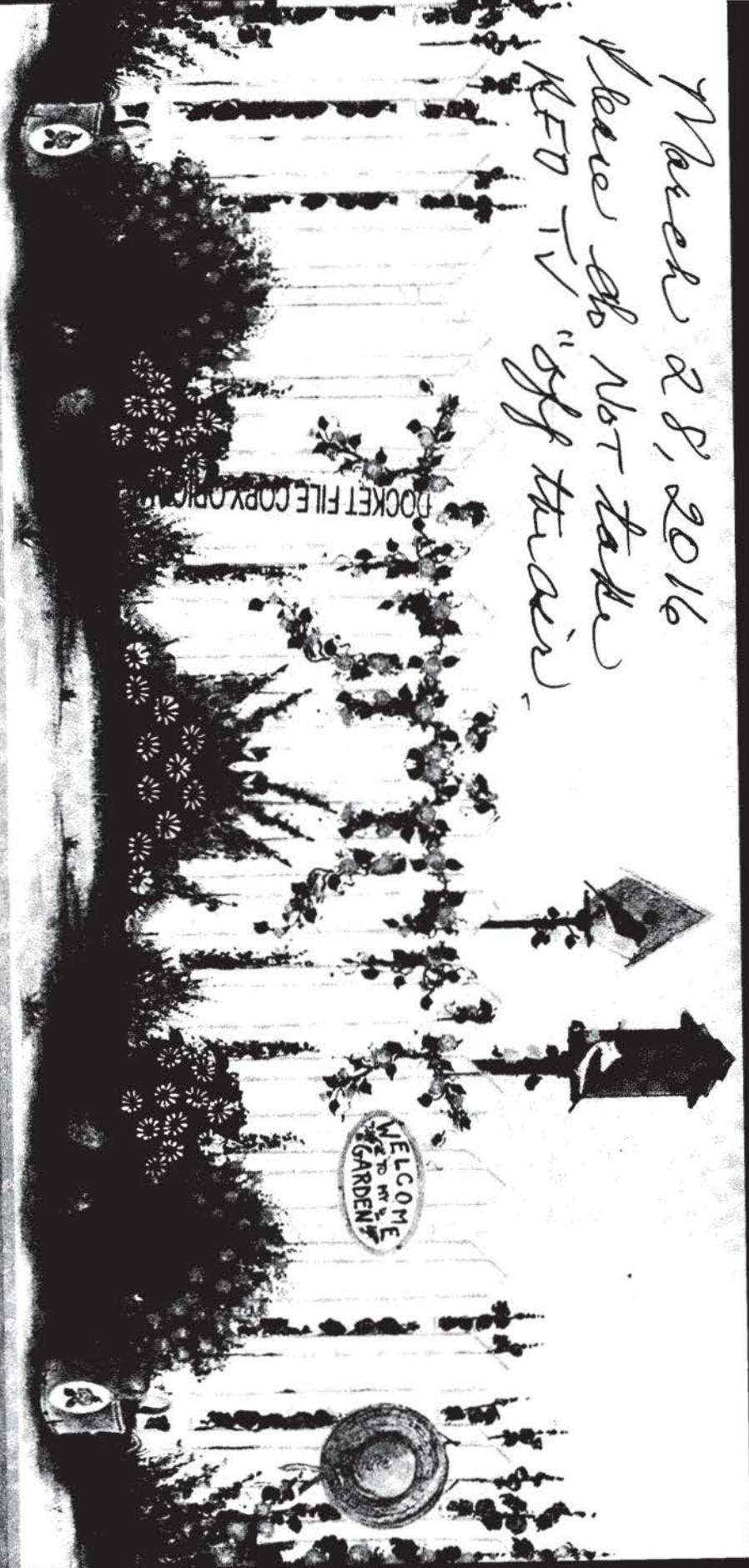
Please keep RFD-TV on T.V.

We love it.

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Husband.

March 28, 2016

Please do Not take
RFD to "off the air"



Wishing you peace
and comfort during
your recovery.

Thank you!
Doree Shantz

To FCC,

We pray with all our
might that you keep RFD-TV
on the air. There are so many
channels on T.V. that aren't up
holding for the entire family.

I personally feel that music and
dancing is the only thing on earth
that's universal. We need more of
this programming. Blue Highway is
another channel that's good for listening.

Please consider seriously leaving
this program on.

It isn't right that larger big city
cable co. are trying to squeeze the
smaller channels off the T.V.

Again - please help keep these
programs on T.V. - RFD-TV and
Blue Highway.

Thank You,

Rachel

Goddard

To FCC,

I'm asking you to keep
RFD-TV on television.

I enjoy it and BLUE HIGHWAY.
I can't imagine not being able
to listen to it on the weekend.

Please keep it on the air.

Thank You,

Harry Stoddard

Rachel Stoddard and Harry
Stoddard are Brother + Sister
who live in differt areas.

3-29-16

From Judy and
Horilynn
Konecny
Box 137
Cascade,
Montana
59421

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To whom it may
concern:

Please leave the
RFD STATION on the air.
I love the music programs:
- Larry's Country Diner -
- Country's Family Reunion -
- Ray Stevens Nashville & other
There are no other musical
stations honoring the older
country music programs.
Thank you for reading
this note.

from a young
FAN OF COUNTRY MUSIC
Sincerely
Horilynn Konecny
Horilynn Konecny
another letter on
over
the back

Lori Lynn says Benson is in the family
+ the Horse Shows
(me) are fun too!

3-29-16

Dear CEO's

I am Lori Lynn's
mom. Together we
enjoy RFD stations, Rural
programming.

It's a family
viewing station that
ALL can enjoy without
sex, violence + negativity!

RFD is positive, fun
happy in its presentations.
We so NEED this kind
of entertainment.

Raise the Rates! We'll
pay them to KEEP them!
thank you!

Judith A. Konecny
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